

"Tonight's address offered an aggressive plan for the start of a new century. With the astounding

œI look forward to working with the President and Congress this year to enact real health care

œI support the President and agree that we must also continue to strengthen our educational s

œNow that we have achieved the first back-to-back budget surplus in 43 years, we can pay do

œWith the lowest overall crime rate in 25 years, we need to continue to fight crime and we sho

œAnd, with all of our advances in technology and the Internet, now is the time to focus on clos

"I am particularly pleased with the State of the Union's focus on education and the investment t

"And, finally, I look forward to working with the White House to ensure that Social Security rem

œThese are essential goals to begin 2000 with, and they provide a clear blue print of where th

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